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Feng Cheng et al.

Serial No. 09/551,118

Group Art Unit 3627

Filed April 17, 2000

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For LARGE INVENTORY-SERVICE OPTIMIZATION IN CONFIGURE-TO-
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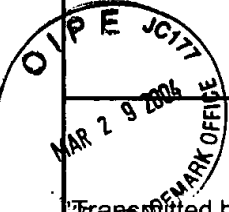
Amendments to the Claims are indicated by the notation "currently amended" in the
listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

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